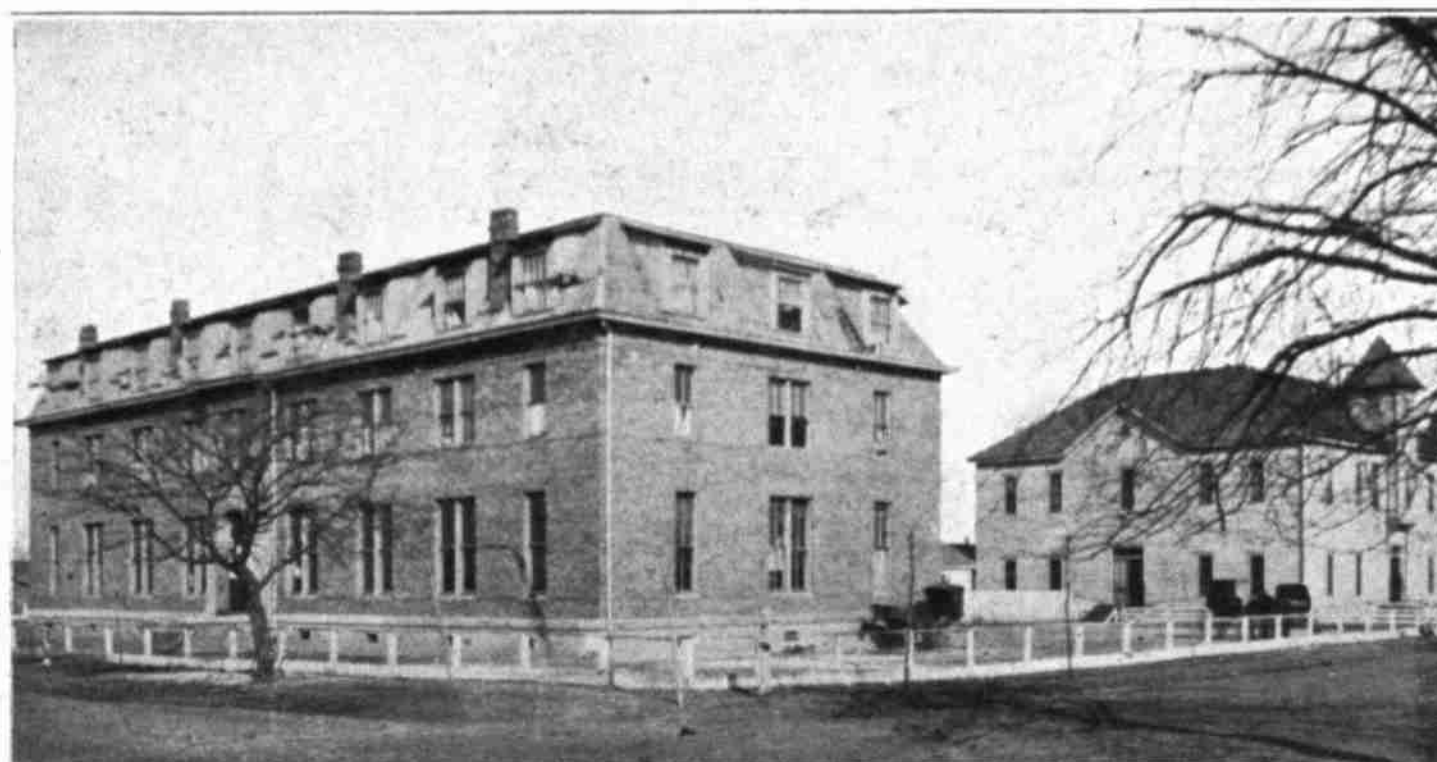




PAYNE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, WILBERFORCE, OHIO

Founded in 1891 by the trustees of Wilberforce University. Named in honor of Bishop Daniel A. Payne. More than one hundred young men have been graduated. Three teachers and 45 students in 1908. The dean of the school is Rev. G. F. Woodson, D.D.



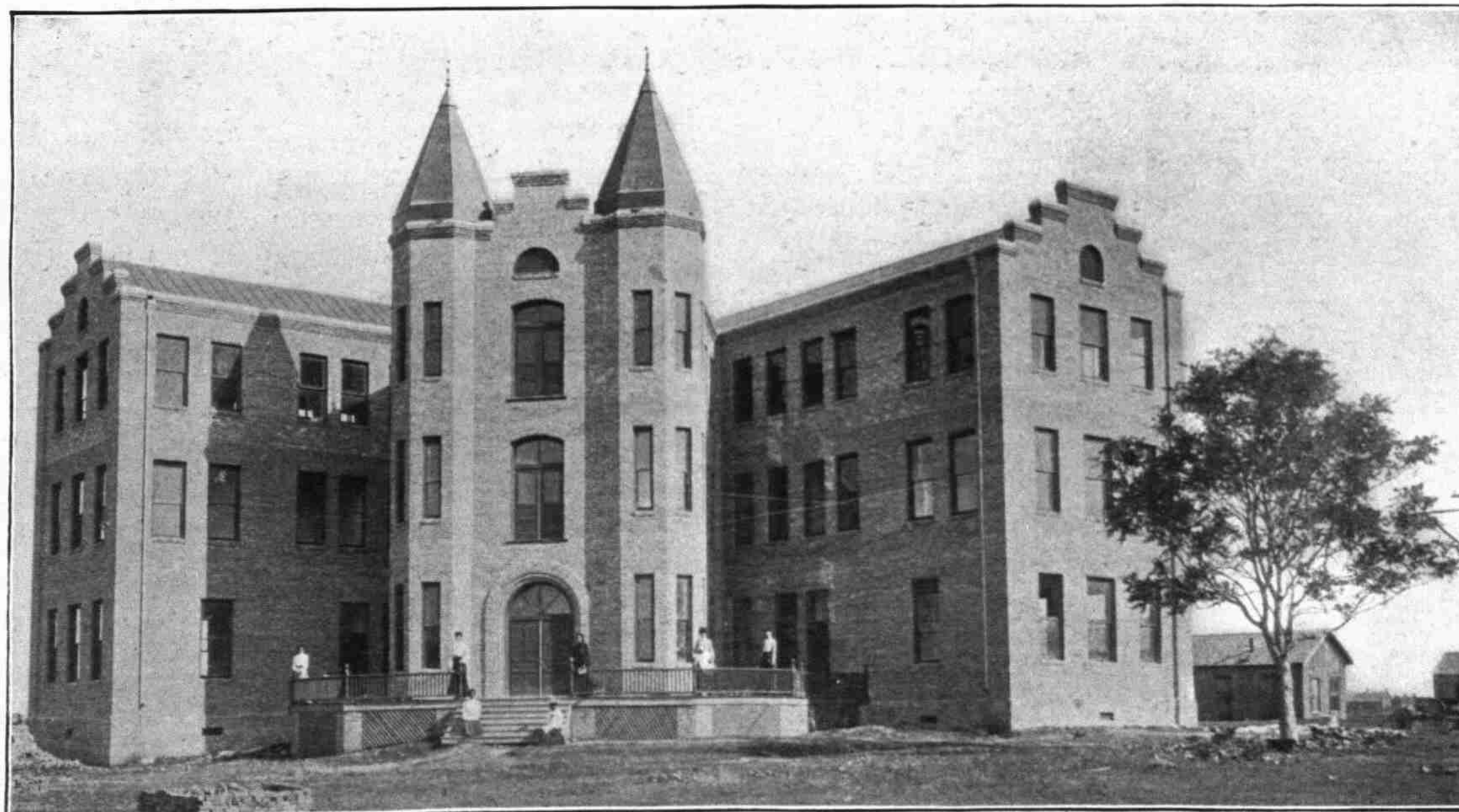
SHORTER UNIVERSITY, ARGENTA, ARK.

Founded in 1887 by Rev. J. P. Howard, of the A. M. E. Church. First located in Little Rock, thence removed to Arkadelphia, and in 1898 removed to North Little Rock, Ark., in a section known as Argenta. Named in honor of Bishop James A. Shorter, and supported by the A. M. E. Church of Arkansas. Property consists of two acres of land, upon which are three main buildings. Tyree Hall is a large three-story brick building, with chapel and school class rooms on first floor, accommodations for 100 girls on the second and third floors. The building cost \$13,000. The next building in size is a two-story wooden structure, 70 x 60. This contains reception rooms, hall and kitchen on first floor, boys' dormitory on second floor. The third building is used as a printing office on the first floor, the second floor accommodating young men.

With a view toward future development, the school has purchased other lots adjacent to the present property. Total value is \$35,000. Ten teachers and 348 students, with 19 theological students, in 1908. The University has been under the direction of some of the best educators of the race. Rev. A. H. Hill, D.D., president.

Paul Quinn College, Waco, Tex.

Founded in 1881 by Bishop Cain, of the A. M. E. Church. About one mile from the business center of the city. Has 12 buildings, 20 acres of land, with a total valuation of \$135,000. Two hundred and seventy-five students in 1908 and 11 teachers. Theological students, 10. Rev. William J. Laws, D.D., president. Requirement for annual expenses, \$10,000, secured through the A. M. E. Church and from students.



GIRLS' DORMITORY, PAUL QUINN COLLEGE, WACO, TEX.